

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No.: **RPS920030250US1**

In re Application of:

CHALLENGER ET AL.

Serial No.: **10/733,591**

Filed: **11 DECEMBER 2003**

For: **EXECUTING AND IMPLEMENTING**
A SERVICE FOR ESTABLISHING
NETWORK CONNECTIONS

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Confirmation No.: **8211**

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

The present Response is submitted in reply to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated December 19, 2007, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on March 19, 2008.